

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: A. OKUYAMA, et al.

Application No.: 10/601,632

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For: SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING HOST ACCESS TO A
STORAGE DEVICE BASED ON PHYSICAL
CHARACTERISTICS OF THE STORAGE DEVICE (as
amended)

Art Unit: 2186

Examiner: Hetul B. Patel

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AMENDMENT

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October 20, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 22, 2005, please amend the
above-identified application as listed in the following and as set forth on the
following pages:

Amendments to the title begin on page 2;**Amendments to the claims begin on page 3;****Remarks are included beginning on page 8; and****Authorization is included on page 13.**

AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:

Please amend the title as follows:

INFORMATION RECORDING/REPRODUCING SYSTEM

SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING HOST ACCESS TO A STORAGE

DEVICE BASED ON PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE STORAGE

DEVICE